



# MONTANA FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS

## Region 2 Hunter Check Station Results

Cumulative Totals for First Four Weekends of the Season | Oct. 20-Nov. 18, 2018

Station	Year	No. of Hunters	Elk	Mule deer	White-tailed deer	Black bear	Moose	Sheep	Goat	Wolf	Total animals	% Hunters w/ game	Snow depth <sup>a</sup> (in.)
Darby (includes HD 321)	2018	3,346	143	29	48	2	2	3	0	1	228	6.8	14
	2017	3,416	146	20	45	2	0	2	0	0	215	6.3	25
	2016	3,418	121	20	63	2	0	2	0	2	210	6.1	2
	2015	3,899	198	25	71	0	0	0	0	1	295	7.6	18
	2014 <sup>b</sup>	3,864	136	27	89	1	1	2	0	1	257	6.7	22
Anaconda	2018	Not operating; Upper Clark Fork CWD surveillance check stations in operation instead (near Hall & Porter's Corner)											
	2017	894	43	8	23	2	0	1	0	0	77	8.6	18
	2016	1,053	25	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	53	5.0	2
	2015	1,241	50	21	20	2	2	2	0	1	98	7.9	15
	2014	1,377	36	24	15	2	0	3	0	0	80	5.8	6
Bonner	2018	4,681	66	37	281	4	0	0	0	0	388	8.3	2
	2017	5,007	91	35	393	5	0	0	0	2	526	10.5	17
	2016	5,373	54	70	405	4	0	0	0	0	533	9.9	5
	2015	5,647	46	58	345	4	0	0	0	0	453	8.0	9
	2014	5,046	39	52	294	1	1	1	0	0	388	7.7	5
All Stations through 3rd week	2018	8,027	209	66	329	6	2	3	0	1	616	7.7	
	2017	9,317	280	63	461	9	0	3	0	2	818	8.8	
	2016	9,844	200	104	482	6	0	2	0	2	796	8.1	
	2015	10,787	294	104	436	6	2	2	0	2	846	7.8	
	2014	10,287	211	103	398	4	2	6	0	1	725	7.0	

\*2018 Harvest totals do not include data from an Anaconda station; CWD surveillance stations are in operation in the Upper Clark Fork instead.

<sup>a</sup>Snowtel sites at Saddle Mountain (Bitterroot), Peterson Meadows (Upper Clark Fork) & Copper Camp (Blackfoot).

~Wolf harvest only reflects those wolves checked at the R2 check stations; it is not total reported harvest.

<sup>b</sup>Darby Check Station was operated only on weekends beginning in 2014, compared with 7 days per week previously.

**WEATHER:** Temperatures were in the 30s and 40s with no snow.